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TIME TABLE:

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MOUNTAIN TIME.

No. 11.			No. 12
11 00 a m	De	Rice ‡	Ar 4 00 a.m
11 25 a m / 12 00 a m	Ar. / Lv.	San Carlos	Lv. 3 20 p. m / Ar. 2 50 p. m.
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2 05 p m / 1 15 p m	Ar. / Lv	Geronimo	Lv. 1 30 p.m / Ar. 12 25 p.m
2 25 p m / p m	Ar. / Lv	Fort Thomas ‡	Lv. / Ar 12 00 p.m
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3 15 p m / p m	Ar. / Lv.	Pima ‡	Lv. / Ar 11 05 a.m
3 25 p m	Lv	Central ‡	Lv 10 55 a.m
3 43 p m	Lv	Thatcher ‡	Lv 10 40 a.m
3 55 p m / 3 45 p m	Ar. / Lv.	Safford ‡	Lv 10 25 a.m / Ar 10 15 a.m
4 10 p m / 4 20 p m	Ar. / Lv.	Solomon ‡	Lv 9 50 a.m / Ar 9 45 a.m
4 55 p m	Lv	Bell N Ranch ‡	Lv 9 17 a.m
5 10 p m	Lv	Big Wind Mill ‡	Lv 9 01 a.m
5 15 p m	Lv	20 Mile Tank ‡	Lv 9 00 a.m
5 21 p m	Lv	Bailey's Wells ‡	Lv 8 53 a.m
5 50 p m	Lv	Summit Spur ‡	Lv 8 [illegible] a.m
6 20 p m	Ar	Bowie ‡	Lv 8 00 a.m

Trains Nos. 11 and 12 run daily except Sunday. Trains Nos. 11 and 12 connect at Rice with stage from and to Globe.

All south bound trains have absolute right of track over all north bound trains of same or inferior class.

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‡ Stations have no agents.

‖ Telegraph Stations

The Company reserves the right to vary this schedule as circumstances may require.

WM. GARLAND, President.

Arizona and N. M. Railway,

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TIME TABLE:

Going North	Distance from Lordsburg	No. Station	Time table No. 11 Jan. 1. 1899	Distance between stations	Going South
No 2					No. 1
12 00 m					10 20a m
1 00 p m	20	2	Eldorado ‡	20	9 20a m
1 00 p m	40	3	Summit ‡ Ar	20	8 20a m
2 10 p m			Lv Duncan		8 10a m
2 55 p m	47	4	‖ Shed'n ‡	7	7 45a m
3 00 p m	52	5	‖ Yoska ‡	3	7 38a m
3 40 p m	59	6	Moconido ‡	5	7 25a m
3 05 p m	53	7	Guthrie ‡	4	7 10a m
3 25 p m	64	8	*Siding ‡	5	6 45a m
4 00 p m	66	9	In Siding ‡	2	6 40a m
4 30 p m	71	10	Ar Clifton ‡	5	6 15a m

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SAFFORD, ARIZONA.
Has located permanently at Safford and offers his professional services to the citizens of the vicinity

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Woodman of the World.
Meets bi-monthly.
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LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Items of Local Interest Gathered by Reporters on their Rounds.

DOINGS IN AND ABOUT TOWN

Breezy Little Notes of General Interets Picked up Here and There.

L. P. FISHER, NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING Agent, 21 Merchants' Exchange Building, San Francisco, is our authorized agent. This paper is kept on file in his office

WANTED—SEVERAL TRUSTWORTHY persons in this state to manage our business in their own and nearby counties. It is mainly office work conducted at home. Salary straight $960 a year and expenses—definite, bonafide, no more, no less salary. Monthly $75 References. Enclose self addressed stamped envelope. Herbert E. Hess, Prest., Dept. M. Chicago.

Austen, the barber, announces that he will cut children's hair for 25 cents.

The Groesbeck livery stable is the best equipped in the county. tf.

Sheff Marshall says Editor Kelley's estimation of Pima is not very exalted.

Fine wines, liquors and cigars at John Blake & Co. tf

Ijams & Freeman have just received an extra supply of fine coffins. tf.

In this issue will be found the ad. of Porter & Barry's new saloon. It is fixed up in first-class shape and is run strictly in city style.

Come and see the bargains at Dr. Cassels. Costs nothing to look. tf

Mrs. George Evans has been seriously ill during the week and under the treatment of Dr. Green, but we are informed that she is some better.

A fine line of clothing, $8.00 to $15.00 per suit, crash suits cheap, at John Blake & Co. tf

A very delicate and difficult operation was performed on Mrs. George Morris, last Sunday, by Drs. Wish and Green. The patient is now getting along nicely.

Buckingham &Hecht and Hamilton, Brown Co. boots and shoes the best obtainable at lowest cash prices at John Blake & Co. tf

Dr. Green informs us that Grandma Quinn who, about a month ago, fell from John West's porch, alighting on her elbow and grinding the nuckles almost to powder, is rapidly improving.

Ijams & Co. have received a fine line of dauble-barreled shot guns, which they will sell cheap. tf

Old fashions in dress may be revived, but no old-fashioned medicine can replace Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by all dealers in medicine.*

Samuel Green, accompanied by his wife left for Salt Lake City a week ago last Saturday. Mr. Green has been called to perform a mission in New Zealand, for for which place he will start after conference. Mrs. Green, after visiting in Utah for a time, will return home.

A fine line of Drugs, Notions, Books and Stationary at Dr. Cassels. tf.

Z. C. Prina & Co. have just received 30,000 pounds of white and red Australian wheat for seed. Farmers desiring it should secure it immediately. This seed wheat comes from Salt River where it has been thoroughly tested and has given a larger yield than any other kind. It also makes a superior flour and therefore commands a better price.

Ijams & Co. keep door locks from 25c. up; Sewing machines from $20 up; all sizes bolts from 6 to 24 inches, cold chisels, Hay pulleys, etc. tf.

Next Friday night one of the best dances of the season will take place in the dining room of the Barry restaurant, Safford. The very best music to be obtained will be in attendance and a grand time is expected. On account of the restaurant being located just across the street from the saloons, they have all agreed to close during the progress of the dance. One dollar per couple will be charged for admission, but this price entitles the couple to participate in the dance and to refreshments, which will be served in the house.

Blake has just received a car load of doors, windows and redwood, at McClare & Patterson's tf.

F. O. Plumb, a southern Pacific switchman, was fatally hurt in the railroad yard here yesterday afternoon, being caught in the stomach between the drawbars of two cars, while a train was being made up, and pinned fast. He was at once released, but was so badly hurt that he died in half an hour. The accident was due to his own recklessness—so at least the corners jury decided. Plumb was a native of Oregon, aged 23, and had been in Tucson only two weeks. His body was sent to Oakland, Cal., for burial.—*Citizen.*

WEDDING BELLS.

Two of Pima's Prominent Young People Joined in Wedlock.

Promptly at 2 p. m. on Wednesday, Oct. 13th, 1898, Patriarch P. C. Merrill pronounced the ceremony that made Mr. Phil C. Merrill and Miss Pearl Weech man and wife, at the residence of the bride's parents, in the presence of at least 150 guests.

After the ceremony and congratulations by their hosts of friends, the bridal couple led the way to the dining hall where the guests did ample justice to the excellent repast spread before them. The wedding dinner was a complete success, being presided over by Mrs. Weech, who has had more experience in this line than any other mother in the county, this being the seventh wedding feast she has prepared for her own children. A record of which both Mr. and Mrs. Weech feel justly proud.

Miss Weech is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hyrum Weech, of Pima, and was the picture of loveliness, drapped in a cream colored satin wedding gown, trimmed with ribbon of the same material and orange blossoms, with a beautiful bridal veil sweeping to the floor.

Phil C. Merrill is one of thebest known and most popular young men in the county, being at present Justice of the Peace of Pima.

The presents received were elegant, costly and well selected.

In the evening a wedding dance was given in Webb's hall, which was crowded to overflowing by friends of the wedded couple.

State of Ohio, city of Toledo, } ss
Lucas County, }

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

{SEAL} A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F J. CHENEY & Co. Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists 75c.

Hall's Family pills are the best.

Indians Pleased.

Walker, Minn. Oct. 10—An Indian council was held at the agency this afternoon and was attended by Flat Mouth and representative delegations. General Bacon and Inspector Tinker told the Bear islanders that if they would give up the men for whom warrents have been issued and come in themselves they could go home. If resisted the government would not rest until the recalcitrants had been captured and that the Bear islanders would not be allowed to occupy the islands again. The message was read to the hostiles by runners today. General Bacon's terms were received by the chiefs with signs of evident pleasure and they all signified their approval of them. It is believed the Pillages will accept them.

How To Prevent Croup

We have two children who are subject to attacks of croup. Whenever an attack is coming on my wife gives them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it always prevents the attack. It is a household necessity in this county and no matter what else we may run out of, it would not do to be without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. More of it is sold here than all other cough medicines combined.—J. M. NICKLE, of Nickle Bros., merchants, Nickleville, Pa. For sale by all dealers in medicine.

New Goods Just Arrived.

A nice and complete stock of fall dress goods and trimmings in all the latest weaves and colors.

Fine assortment of silks, all colors, at bed rock prices.

Trimming for infant's and childrens cloaks in various colors.

Our underwear department is complete in all lines; and also our clothing. If you want to buy goods at the most reasonable price come and be convinced that this is the place.

Small profit and square dealing is our motto.

J. R. WELKER & Co.,
tf. Main St., Layton.

Shafts on Gila River.

With a view to the construction of a big government dam on the Gila River, the Interior Department has advertised for bids to be opened in Geological Survey rooms November 5th, for sinking wells and shafts, to ascertain the depth to bed rock at a place on the Gila River in Pinal county, Arizona, known as the buttes, and also on Queen Creek, Arizona.

MANILA GETTING GAY.

Beginning to Criticise The American Authority.

The Spanish newspapers in Manila are revelling in an unprecedented atmosphere of freedom and criticises the American authorities in a way they never would have dared to criticise their own government, for the Spanish censor has now joined the great army of unemploped, and the United States censor confines his attention to cablegrams going abroad. He will not, he says, permit a word to be used in any way derogatory to the United States army or authorities, but he takes no notice of violent, inflammatory editorials daily inciting the people of the Philippines against the Americans. He lets the Spaniards say what they like to their leaders, while he refuses to trust the American people and loyal American journalists. The Oceanis Espanola of August 21, contains a fierce article entitled "Chaos," pointing out that no other word can describe the condition of Manila under its new rules. The article complains that the American authorities have removed public officials and have failed to appoint their successors thereby creating great confusion and hardship to the population of the Philippines.

The editorial says in part: "Thousands of poor trades people, laborers, contractors and others have been doing business for the municipal authorities of the different wards and now every thing is stopped and the poor people cannot even get the money that is due them for work already done or goods already supplied prior to the surrender. To thousands in this city one small silver dollar makes all the difference between starvation and contentment, yet all the dollars in the treasury have been seized by the Americans. Perhaps some day all the debts shall be paid, but the artisan, the street sweeper, the small storekeeper, who does not know where tomorrow's dinner will come from cannot feed his family on the song of 'some day.' People who have been ready to bless the Americans find themselves left to starve pending negotiations."

The Coal Flids.

The Tucson Land office has received the plat of the coal fields which has been offered for filing, but which will not be officially filed until the expirtion of at least 30 days from the time of receiving the same. In harmony with this instruction the Register and Receiver have fixed the 19th day of November, 1898, at 9 o'clock a. m., of that day, when the official filing will be made. Until that date nothing can be done, as we understand the instructions, by which title can be obtained. Those who are now in possession of claims, can proceed with exploration, and it may be locations now made may hold. But the local land office will hardly accept any filings or take any cognizance of any claims which may be made until after November 19th, the date of the official filing of the plat.

Three Doctors in Consultation.

From Benjamim Franklin.

"When you are sick, what you like best is to be chosen for a medicine in the first place; what experience tells you is best, to be chosen in the second place; what reason (i. e. Theory) says is best to be chosen in the last place. But if you can get *Dr. Inclination, Dr. Experience* and *Dr. Reason* to hold a consultation together, they will give you the best advice that can be taken."

When you have a bad cold Dr. Inclination would recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy because it is pleasant and safe to take. Dr. Experience would recommend it because it never fails to effect a speedy and permanent cure. Dr. Reason would recommend it because it is prepared on scientific principles, and acts on nature's plan in releaving the lungs, opening the secretions and restoring the system to a natural and healthy condition. For sale by all dealers in medicine.

THE DIFERONCE.

The Spaniards are a bloody race,
Who like to rob and plunder,
They sell their friends,
Deceive their foes,
They're hated 'tis no wonder.
But the boys of Arizona
Are liked by every nation
Where they go both north and south
Regardless of their station,
To Safford they are sure to come
When they want to get their hair cut
A shave, a shine or a bath so fine,
At Austin's shop most any time
A. H. Austin's shaving parlor,
Safford, Ariz.

Peerless ice cream freezers at Blake's. tf.

RALLY ROUND THE SILVER DOLLAR.

The Champanions of the White Metal Speak Wisdom to the Multitude.

There was assembled at Lake's Hall, Wednesday evening the beauty and chivalry of Kingman. The occasion was a grand rally of silver tongued democrats to speak on the present campaign issues. The principal speakers were Lieut. Wiley E. Jones of Graham county, Hon. Eugene Brady O'Neill of Prescott and Hon. H. F. Ashrust, the Boy Orater of Coconino county. Our local speakers were Judge W. W. Dunbar, nominee of the democratic party for district attorney, and Judge J. M. Murphy, nominee of the democratic party for the territorial council. Dave Kelleher with his snare drum made music that gathered the clans from the four corners of the globe.

At 8'clock sharp, Chairman Murphy introduced himself in a few appropriate remarks. The first order of the evening was Hon. Eugene Brady O'Neill, brother of the late lamented Capt. Buckey O'Neill of the Rough Riders. Mr. O'Neill threw shot and shell and Mauser bullets into the party of Hanna and goldbugism until the enemy turned and fled in confusion. He pasted the gold burglars where they lived. He uncovered their gold brick swindle until the copper bottomed republican hayseeds in the back seats tried to blow out the gas. The mantle of Buckey has fallen on strong shoulders in Eugene.

The next to make his bow to the audience was Hon. H. F. Ashrust, the Boy Orator of Coconino county. Mr. Ashrust is a fluent talker, in fact he has the fire of an orator. The Hanna people were glad when he retired in favor of Lieut. Wiley E. Jones, of Graham county, and a lieutenant in an Arizonian troop that volunteered for the war with Spain. Fortunately or unfortunately as the case may be the active part of the war was over before the lieutenant's troop could get to the front. Mr. Jones was a candidate for congress at the late democratic convention at Prescott, or rather he was the dark horse in the race and had he commenced earlier in seeking the nomination he might now have been in the shoes of Col. Wilson. The lieutenant tackled the republican platform and showed its inconsistency as viewed from a silver or good government standpoint. His speech was loudly applauded, especially when 5 Cent Dan, a late convert to the gold standard party came forward to ask a question in writing. Before Wiley had finished the fire-escapes were loaded with goldbugs trying to make their escape. Anson Smith was seen sliding down one of the porch supports.

After Wiley came Judge Dunbar, who historically pointed out that every dog has his day and that the yellow republican dog was ready to be sacrificed on the alter of 16 to 1.

Ellinwood, who was in the audience, was called on for a speech, but declined for the reason, that like the poor he is always with us in the fight, while the distinguished gentlemen from other places can only find time to strike Mohave county in the high places. Ellinwood is now a resident of Mohave county.

The sweet singers who were to take part in the services for some unknown reason failed to show up, but the strains from Kelleher's drum were beautiful to the ear. He beat the charge at Marengo as a wind up and the enemies of the white metal surrendered to the Bryanites. At the end of the speaking there were few worshipers at the golden shrine of the Industrial Cannibal of Ohio" (Hanna) left in the hall.—*Our Mineral Wealth.*

An Enterprising Druggist

There are few men more wide awake and enterprising than druggists of Safford, Ariz., who spares no pains to secure the best of everything in their line for their many customers. They now have the valuable agency for Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. This is the wonderful remedy that is producing such a furor all over the country by its many startling cures. It absolutely cures Asthma, Bronchitis, hoarseness and all affections of the throat, chest and lungs. Call at above drug store and get a trial bottle free or a regular size for 50 cents and $1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

Look!

I will be in business only two weeks longer. Want to reduce my stock as much as possible, therefore I am making a large cut in prices and selling regardless of cost. You will save money by calling on A. E. Jacobinson, Safford. 2t.

FRESH CANDY AT CASTLE'S, POST OFFICE STORE, SAFFORD. tf.

Good teams and good buggies at the Groesbeck livery stable. tf

NEVER SAID IT.

Two Newspapers Caught Telling Home-Made Falsehoods—Yavapai Bonds Are Not Legal.

For some days the Journal-Miner and Arizona Republican have been giving circulation to a campaign lie. They stated specifically that Colonel J. F. Wilson, the silver nominee for congress, had given an opinion that the Yavapai bonds were legal. This statement having been forwarded to Colonel Wilson, he replies in plain terms. There is not a man in Arizona who will doubt his statement, as it is in accord with his action in going to Washington to prevent the conformation of McCord. The principal thing Col. Wilson urged at the time was the fear that McCord was in with the Murphy Yavapai bond outfit, and that he would try to fund the illegal paper. Colonel Wilson says:

"The Republican and Journal-Miner lie in their threats when they say I gave official opinion that the funding of Yavapai bonds was, or would be legal; and I challenge them and the whole 'bread and butter' brigade to produce such an opinion. The original bonds were void for the reason they were not obligations for the internal affairs of the county, and therefore in violation of the Organing Act of the territory, conferring the credit for the internal affairs of the counties, and that only. Railroad bonds are not such. (See case of Lewis vs. Pima County. U. S. Supreme Court Reports.)

"The funding was illegal for the very plain reason that it was in violation of the Funding Act itself in which it fixes the right and limits the power of the loan commission to fund obligations of counties *only on the demand of the board of supervisors.*

"In this case the funding was done, not on such demand, but was done over the official protest of said board of supervisors; and said protest was on file in the office of the loan commission at the time of its illegal act of funding.

"Again, it was in violation of the rule laid down by our own supreme court in case of Ingram vs. Loan Commission, brought to compel the funding of the Pima county railroad bonds over objection of the counties, the court holding that such could only be done on demand of the county. The reason why these bonds are illegal is too plain to need argument."

The above plain statement, backed by the advice given Governor Franklin, who refused to fund the Yavapai bonds, together with the straightforward and persistent opposition to these and other illegal claims funded, should convince the public that Colonel Wilson is being wantonly, libeled by the republican papers, and that such statements are instigated by the owners of the bonds in question.

Now, a word with the taxpayers of this territory: This is not political talk on which to ride a man into office. Colonel Wilson stands on a platform which says:

"We arraign the republican administration because, regardless of the rights of the people, they have increased our territorial debt over $300,000 by the funding of illegal and spurious claims against the territory, and the enforcement of the prison contract before its final adjudication by the courts, which have largely increased the debt of the territory.

"We favor the repeal of the laws creating the boards of equalization, loan commission, board of control and immigration commissioners, and also the law granting the governor the power to remove officials at pleasure, and the passage of such laws as will lodge the powers exercised by these boards in commissions elected by the people.

"We pledge the democratic party its representative in congress and its members of the legislature to the carrying out of these measures of remedial reform, and ask all good citizens to unite with us in securing a victory for free coinage of silver, statehood, and legislation that will bring the government of Arizona closer to the people at large."

Can any man tell where Brodie stands on these questions? His platform endorses the single gold standard and the administration of the republican officials in Arizona, and more especially, that of Murphy.

It is time to call a halt and see where this is leading. Maricopa county pays one-third of the taxes of the territory. The interest of the Yavapai bonds, have for the past year been paid out of the territorial treasury, while Yavapai county refuses to levy one cent to pay on these illegal claims. Do you love the bond holders enough, to pay an obligation, in which you had no voice in its creation?—*Enterprise.*

Beer May Go Up.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—An advance in the price of beer before long is not improbable as a result of the scarcity of and poor quality of this years hop crop. Reports received from all the hop-growing states in the United States and from the hop growing centers of Europe indicate that the crop this year is unusually light and not up to the standard in quality. The foreign crop is unusually poor and it follows two years of light crops.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Latter Day Saints.

HOME MISSIONARY APPOINTMENTS FOR OCTOBER 16th, 1898.

Bryce—James Cluff, Hyrum Weech.
Central—G. H. Birdno, S. A. Merrill.
Eden—W. W. Crockett, W. F. Preston.
Graham—John Hill, jr., W. A. Moody.
Layton—Emil Maeser, J. G. Allred.
Matthews—A. S. Porter, B. F. Whitmer.
Pima—J. R. Welker, J. T. Owens.
Thatcher—George Skinner, C. B. Boren.

M. E. Church.

Rev. F. W. Downs will preach in the Methodist church Sunday morning and evening. Morning service at 11:10, and evening service at 7:30. Sunday school at 10 a. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

COCHISE DEMOCRATS.

Result of the Convention Held in Bisbee on Saturday.

The ticket chosen by the Cochise County Democracy in convention at Bisbee, October 8th, is:

Scott White, of Tombstone, for Sheriff; A. Wentworth, of Tombstone, for Treasurer; E. W. Land, of Bisbee, for District Attorney; Frank Hare, of Tombstone, for Recorder; F. McKay, of Bisbee, for Probate Judge; B. Riggs, Sr., of Bowie, and M. C. Benton, of Bisbee, for Supervisors; M. D. Scribner, of Tombstone, for Council; Henry W. Etz, of Benson, M. Gray, Pearce, and Captain J. H. Tevis, of Teviston, for the Assembly.

The above ticket is a very strong one and will undoubtedly be elected.

The platform adopted endorsed the Chicago and Territorial platforms declaring in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of silver at ratio of 16 to 1. Endorses the policy pursued by our present delegate in Congress, Hon. Mark A. Smith, and pledges the support of the Democratic party of Cochise county to that fearless champion of silver and good government, Col. J. F. Wilson. It also compliments the brave soldiers and sailors taking part in the late war with Spain. Declares against the removal of Territorial institutions and county division and declares in favor of economy in government affairs.

How To Look Good.

Good looks are really more than skin deep, depending entirely on a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver is inactive, you have a bilious look; if your stomach is disordered, you have a dyspeptic look; if your kidneys are affected, you have a pinched look. Secure good health, and you will surely have good looks. "Electric Bitters" is a good alterative and tonic. Acts directly on the stomach, liver and kidneys, purifies the blood, cures pimples, blotches and boils, and gives a good complexion. Every bottle guaranteed. Sold at all the drug stores, 50 cents per bottle.

Work of the Central Committee.

Pursuant to a call issued by Chairman Birdno, the Democratic Central Committee met last Saturday at the court house in Solomonville, to fill the vacancy for Probate Judge on the ticket, caused by the death of W. W. Damron.

The vacancy was filled with the name of Wm. A. Moody, of Thatcher. Mr. Moody is thoroughly qualified to fill both the position of probate judge and county school superintendent and is certain of election.

Bids Wanted.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the board of trustees of the Safford district, up to 10 o'clock, a. m., Oct. 22, 1898, for furnishing 10 cords of mesquite wood, one half dry and one half green, in four foot lengths, delivered at the Safford school house.

JAMES MORRIS, Clerk.

Soldiers Shot at Lexington

LEXINGTON, Oct. 10.—Private Nigram, a young Swede belonging to Company L, of the New York, was shot and killed about midnight by the provost guard while running away to evade arrest. Private Bailey, of the Third engineers, was also shot by the provost guard and is in a critical condition.

C. Layton & Co. have just received a large assortment of ladies capes, cloaks and caps which they are selling at bedrock prices. tf.

Ijams & Co. are now prepared to drive well casing from the top of ground. tf.

Fine writing desk and sewing machine combined at Ijams & Co.

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MISCELLANEOUS POLITICS.

Republican journals that profess to be shocked at the Democrats making political capital out of the suffering of the soldiers are the same that proposed to run the machine campaign on the war record of the McKinley administration.—Democratic (Pa.) *Standard.*

If there is any doubt about the legal status of Mr. McKinley's war investigating committee, as Mr. Sherman thinks there will be, there will be none about the congressional committee that will later on make an investigation.—Menominee Evening *Leader.*

The Gold Democratic party is dead. It was born of perfidy, lived a life of shame, and died in despair. Being devoid of any virtue whatever, it will only be remembered as an example of depravity, as the Benedict Arnold and Judas Iscariot of politics. It profained the name of Demoracy, while organized to aid the election of Republicans. It asked only such Gold Democrats to support its candidates as were not sufficiently developed to take the Republican ticket straight.—*Silver Knight.*

If we had a Democratic President with this war scandal on his hands, every Republican howler in the country would cry out for vengeance, impeachment, criminal proceedings and all the rest of it. It makes a vast deal of difference whose ox is gored. Your true Republican believes that the G. O. P. can do no wrong. Like the privilege of kings, he believes that the Republican party rules by divine right. That is the reason that the incorrigible Republican generally lets somebody else do his thinking for him. He generally has to.—National *Intelligence.*

It is now given out at the Treasury Department that the people of this country need not expect any relief from the onerous burdens imposed upon them by the war revenue bill. Why certainly not! The administration realizes the political benefits accruing from full coffers, and though the Treasury has now three hundred million locked up in its vaults, the spoliation of the poor people by unnecessary taxes will be continued.—Alexandria, Va. *Gazette.*

The Democracy never entered a campaign with brighter prospects than the present one. The Republican party is not only disunited and demoralized but thousands of Republicans are leaving their party forever on account of the broken pledges of 1896. In that year the Republicans promised everything and chiefly a restoration of property. Their pledges have all been violated, and those who trusted them will trust no longer.—Corydon, Ind, *Democrat.*

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The "Maine" had been sunk. Two hundred and sixty-six brave American sailors had furnished food for several big and little finny fishes. (Did you ever hear of a fish that was not finny? They would indeed be funny if not finny.)

War had been declareded. Volunteers had been called for by the President. Sleepy old Safford awoke from her twenty years nap and responded to the call. She sent sixteen of her brave warriors to join "Willie's Weary Walkers", the crack cavalry regiment of the country. Some of them to be sure had never discharged a ram-rod gun or been astride the hurricane deck of anything larger that a goat, but they felt if they could only get to the front, they would forever put to sleep the entire Spanish army. So they went. Now among their number was Mr. Josepus Diddlewinkee, who lived in the edge of the village with his corpulant mother, his enterprising wife, his two kids, and the beautiful Miss Ethyln Goldenrod, posessed of large feet and a growing appetite, who milked the cow, chopped the wood, did the washing and helped take care of the kids in return for her grub, Mrs. Diddlewinkee's old "cloes" and six month's "skuling" in the "deestrict skule".

Mr. D. had been eleven years married, was old, bald, gray, thin, lean, lank, guant and peripetitic, posessed of a peppery disposition and a dyspeptic constitution and had lately been rid of a tape worm, but he felt that the call to arms was directed especially to him. He felt that with his strong right arm (He only weighed 121 pounds when mustered in.) he could slay at least two score of the cowardly Spaniards. What mattered it if he had never spilled the blood of anything larger than a mouse, or had never loaded a rifle, or attempted to mount a "bucking bronco". He would a warrior be, he would. So he went, and in due time was accepted and with the rest of the aggregation was shipped to Tampa, where he spent several happy months groeming horses, eating fly hash, sow belly and beans and swallowing large doses of calomel, castor oil and quinine by day, and playing poker and shooting craps by night. Meanwhile far away in peaceful old Safford, Mrs. Diddlewinkee, assisted by her pumpkin-shaped mother-in-law, and the aforesaid beautiful Miss Ethyln Goldenrod with the big feet, was running the ranch. Now Mrs. Diddlewinkee had a hobby. I might say she had several, but she had one in particular. For four years she had endeavored to impress it up Josephus, but so far he had not been impressed. It was the planting and growing of corn. Mrs. Diddlewinkee had never seen corn in her life until she came to Arizona and couldn't tell it from alfalfa hay until she had been here six months, but she knew corn raising was her forte if only given an opportunity. And now was her chance; she was monarch of all she surveyed. She would raise such a corn crop as would be the pride and envy of all the country around. Right east of the house and near by was a young orchard of some seventy-five fruit trees and between the rows she would set out her corn. She intended to start it in a kind of hot bed and then transplant it, but was talked out of the plan by the mother-in-law and the Goldenrod girl.

She got the good natured Dutchman with the saintly smile, who goes to church every Sunday with his prayer book under his arm and twixt psalms and prayers plans how to do his erring and sinful neighbors out of their old broken down buggies, tools, harness, clothes, boxes, scrap iron, etc. He who owns the big buckskin horse and two brown mares upon which he is trying to prove the theory that horses are maue to work without being fed. She got him, I say, to come with his buckskin horse and two brown mares to plow and harrow and cultivate the ground. What mattered it that he broke down and destroyed one third of the young fruit trees, which Josephus had set out two years ago. Corn was what she was after. For this service she gave to the Teutonic gentleman odds and ends belonging to Josephus to the supposed value of $4.25 and $1.25 in cash besides horse keep, no small item. Then she and her rotund mother-in-law and beautiful Miss Ethyln planted the corn, buried it I mean, so the chickens wouldn't scratch it it up, fourteen inches deep on the average, in sixteen beautiful crooked rows. Fortunately, or otherwise, she used plenty of seed, about ten times more than necessary, and in due time—no, not due time, pardon me, in about six weeks the corn came up, some of it, some of it may come yet, time will tell. The tender young plants were on an average seven feet apart, in some places, however, there would be fifteen or twenty within a space of six or eight square inches.

Well, from that time on they tended it dutifully, watered it every morning, generally carrying the water in buckets from the well near by, nearly drowning the poor stuff. They hoed out the sun flowers, cockle burrs and numerous other weeds, and finally set up brush and sticks the same as you would for green peas or certain kinds of garden beans. The corn grew apace. (I don't know what that means, but I've seen it in stories written by reputed authors so I recken it's the correct thing to say.) and finally after five months or there abouts peace was declared. "Willie's Weary Walkers", part of them for it didn't require them all, had whipped the Spanish army and the "Weary Walkers" were mustered out. Then homeward flew Josephus covered as he was with glory, malaria, and dirty and ragged clothing. He could have arrived in five days by the Lightening Express, but being desirous of visiting the natives of New York, Chicago, Kansas City, and other villages of the east and so dazzle them with the wonderful importance of his glorious personage in his $3.65 uniform, he chose the Limited Freight and arrived home in just twenty-one days from the date of his discharge, probably having passed through the most triumphant tour in modern history.

And now as he neared his home, his eye brightened and his bosom swelled with pride for surely some one at Bowie would have telegraphed that he was coming, and there would be a tremedeous crowd to greet him. The village brass band would be there, and they would lift him into an open carriage, drawn by four white horses, or may be red ones, or yaller ones if they couldn't get white ones, and they would go to the village church and there would be speeches and handshaking and after all a banquet and general holiday for all, but no; no crowd. The usual loafers. No brass band. No yaller horses. No banquet. Just one or two who said: "hullo, Josephus, where you bin?" "How are ye?" etc. Oh, the irony of fate! How many a great man is born to be forever hidden under a cloud. How little the world appreciates her great men. It ought not to be thusly so, ought it? "Full many a rose is born to blush unseen and waste its dewy fragrance on the desert air." And that's the way it was with Josephus, and he felt he ought to have stayed in New York where he was appreciated, and where he was expected to drink whisky cocktails every five minutes and eat oysters on the half shell the balance of the time. But "that's another story," as Rudyard Kipling says. (I don't know Rudyard but may be you do.) And so Josephus sorrowfully meandered on his way to his home. His walk, for he preferred not to take a carriage, led him down a broad, well paved, clean swept, freshly sprinkled thoroughfare, shaded by mammoth chestnut trees behind which could be seen glimpses of beautiful villas, luxuriant hedges and bright hued, well kept lawns with here and there groups of happy children giving vent to their exuberance in joyous laughter and childish glee. Oh, what a transformation the old town had undergone in these few brief months! At least this is what he had expected from a careful persuing of the "Guardian" while absent. Well, let your imagination have full sweep; it can't hurt anyone and may be productive of good in the end. But I am digressing.

A turn of the corner, a few rods father, past the old blacksmith shop, and Josephus was home. Into the kitchen he walked. There sat Jerusha Diddlewinkee, his wife, with a bowl on her knees silently peeling peaches. She paused, noted the appearance of the stranger, and then said: "Git out. We don't want nothin today. No books, no sewing machines, nothin of the kind. Can't afford to buy them. Josephus' gone to the war; expect he's killed, he's so careless. Good day." You see she didn't recognize Josephus nor neither would you. He was a much altered man. You have noted his general description in the foregoing. Well, here he is as he returned: Weight, 172 pounds; rosy cheeks; hair on top of his head where it ought to be; clear black eyes (they were bright blue when he went away); small white hands with dapper fingers, etc. Josephus told her who he was and sought to embrace her, but she wouldn't have it. Couldn't fool her, not much. So Josephus had to get out identification papers, his discharge papers, etc. Had to take off his shoes and stockings and show her a peculiar strawberry mark on his right heel and then she was convinced, and then she received him in her arms and hugged him for seventeen minutes and then she let him go, and then she clutched him by the elbow and said: "Josephus, you just come out here and see my corn." And together arm in arm they repaired to the cornery, and what a sight met his gaze. Corn, corn, here, there, everywhere; in some rows two stalks, some five, some four, and altogether about one hundred stocks, some of it most four feet high, looking a trifle sickly to be sure, but Jerusha explained that they hadn't watered it that morning. And she asked Josephus what he thought about, and he said, honest man, that it was fine; that if the frost held off till January 1st there would surely be corn on it. Now, wasn't that good of him?

The balance of the day was passed in a recital of the harrowing experiences which Josephus had passed through. And Jerusha had to tell him all the news and the gossip. That Jim McKiddie was running independent for sheriff and ought to be elected. What babies had been born and what were likely to be. Who were married and who ought to be. Had to show him "old Bess" the cow, tell him how much milk she gave and when she would calve. Showed him "Comet" the horse, which is a misnomer for he is certainly no comet. Had to hold the baby boy, surnamed "Geronimo", about two hours and listen to his entire history, and to be told, oh, horrors! "that everybody said it looked just like his pa." Had to amuse his six-year old daughter by dressing up and playing he was a Spanish soldier and allowing her to waylay and massacre him with a butcher knife, which was really a dangerous pastime for the knife might slip. Had to listen to a recital of the love adventures of the gushing Miss Ethyln Goldenrod with the big feet and appetite. And at last they went early to bed. The first he had been in except that furnished by Nature assisted by one army blanket, for five long months. It was difficult for Josephus to accustom himself to the change. He had been used to mosquitoes and here there were none. And the bed was too soft and easy, and it was not until he had gone out and gathered his hat full of stones and pieces of bricks and sprinkled them around under the sheet on his side of the bed that he could go to sleep.

No sooner was he asleep than he began to dream over again his sanguinary and imaginary conflicts. He had reached that stage where he had successfull dispatched sixteen Spaniards and was engaged in a hand-to-hand conflict with a big, musculn officer, general or something, and was just in the act of clearing his head with the machette which he had wrenched from the officer, when, something happened; his entire bodily system became convulsed, partially so as it were, and all was darkness. He thought a shell had torn and rent him in twain, but pretty quick he realized that it was his wife, Jerusha, by his side kicking him with both feet in the small of the back and saying at the same time: "Josephus, Josephus Diddlewinkee, git up. There's a hoss in the orchard. He just kim out of the garden. Git up and drive him out. He'll eat up all my corn." Well, Josephus was in no mood to get up, besides it wasn't regular, wasn't military so to speak. No bugle had sounded, warning him of the approach of the enemy, so he essayed to go to sleep and again dream of killing Spaniards. But that didn't suit Jerusha a little bit and she renewed the attack. Kicked him again, and Jerusha knows how to kick; missed her vocation, ought have been a high kicker. So Josephus he scrambled up and sought to evade the trip out into the midnight chilly air by the powers of argumentation. Josephus ought to have been a lawyer; he's so slippery. "Jerusha," says he, "you've been dreamin. There aint no hoss out there. We left all the horses in the country at Montauk." He went to the window and looked out. "No hoss at all, no hoss at all; just dreamin." "Josephus, I haint been asleep this blessed night. Couldn't, you snored so. Don't you suppose a woman of my age knows when she hears a hoss walkin. Heard him snort, and whinny too. Course it's a hoss." "I don't know," said Josephus, "might a been a hog. Can't do no hurt, no how." "See here, Josephus Diddlewinkee, do you take me for a fool? Don't you spose I know the difference tween a hog and a hoss, besides if it was a hog you'd hev to drive him out anyway, an it better be a hoss. If you don't go right out I'll go myself, an then I'll tell Ethyln Goldenrod an she'll tell Waddie Withington an he'll tell everybody an

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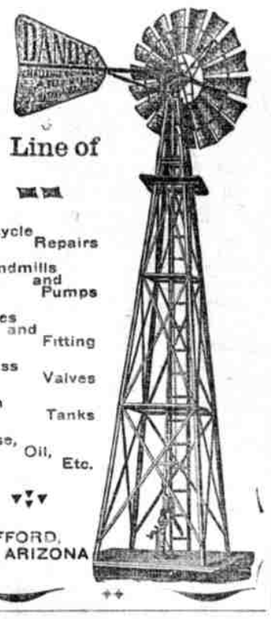

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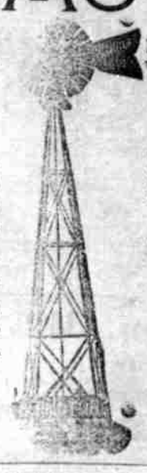

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7.10 a m		Tucson	2.55 p m
9.20 a m		Deming	5.35 p m
12.20 p m		El Paso	2.35 p m
11.50 a m		San Antonio	4.40 p m
7.05 p m		Houston	8.35 a m
7.55 a m		New Orleans	8.30 a m
10.25 p m		Washington	10.0 a m
6.2 a m		New York	4.20 p m

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East bound			From East
3.10 p m		El Paso	10 15 a m
6.50 p m		Dallas	6.50 p m
7.15 p m		St. Louis	9.00 a m
7.35 a m	ar	Chicago	lv 9 10 p m

SOUTHERN PACIFIC

From West			West bound
10.08 p m	ar	Maricopa	lv 5.37 a m
5.00 p m		Yuma	11:30 a m
8.15 a m		Los Angeles	9.20 a m
5.30 p m		Fresno	11.10 a m
9.00 a m		San Francisco	6.15 a m
8.00 p m		Portland	7.30 a m
9.00 a m	lv	Seattle ar	7.30 p m

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ARTICLES OF INCORORPATION.

Of The Moddle Canal Company.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we Benj Echols, A. Layton and T. J. Nations all of Graham County, Arizona, have this day associated ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under the laws of Arizona Territory and we hereby certify:

1st. The names of the incorporators are Benj Echols, A. Layton and T. J. Nation; and that the name of the corporation is and shall be the Moddle Canal Company, and its principal place of business is Duncan, Graham County, Arizona Territory, until otherwise directed by the stock holders of said corporation.

2nd. The general nature of the business proposed to be transacted and conducted is the locating and constructing of canals, dams, flumes and the diverting of the waters of the Gila River for the purpose of irrigation and milling; and said corporation proposes further to construct and operate flouring and grists mills in said Graham county, Arizona, and use said waters for the purpose of running and operating the same.

3rd. The amount of capital stock of said corporation shall be Five Thousand Dollars, divided into 200 chares of the par value o' $25, each to be paid as called for from time to time by the Board of Directors of said corporation.

4th. The time of the commencement of this corporation shall be the day of the filing of these articles of incorporation for record in the office of the county recorder of said Graham County, Arizona, and said corporation shall continue for the term of fifty years therefrom.

5th. The affairs of said corporation shall be under the control of, and conducted by a Board of Directors consisting of Three shareholders in said corporation, who shall be chosen annually on the third Monday in December of each year, by the shareholders of said corporation; said Board of Directors so chosen shall elect a president, a secretery, and a treasurer.

6th. The shareholders at any regular or called meeting thereof shall have power by majority vote of the stock represented at such meetings to make, establish, alter, change or abolish, rules and by-laws for the proper conduct and management of said corporation.

7th. The private property of the stockholders of said corporation shall be exempt from all corporate debts.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hand and seals this 5th day of July 1898.

BENJ ECHOLS, [Seal]
A. LAYTON, [Seal]
T. J. NATIONS, [Seal]

TERRITORY of ARIZONA } ss
COUNTY OF GRAHAM }

This day before me, J. M. McCollum a notary public in and for Graham County, Arizona Territory personally appeared the within named Benj Echols, A Layton and T. J. Nations, known to me to be the persons named in and who executed the within instrument, and who acknowledged to me that they, each of them, executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Witness my hand and notorial seal this 5th day of July 1898.

SEAL

J M. MCCOLLUM, Notary Public

My commission expires January 18th, 1900.

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Suffering humanity should be supplied with every means possible for its relief. It is with pleasure we publish the following: "This is to certify that I was a terrible sufferer from Yellow Jaundice for over six months, and was treated by some of the best physicians in our city and all to no avail. Dr Bell, our druggist, recommended Electric Bitters; after taking two bottles, I was entirely cured. I now take great pleasure in recommending them to any person suffering from this terrible malady. I am gratefully yours, M. A. Hogarty Lexington. Ky." For sale by all dealers in drugs and general merchandise.

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Solomonville, Ariz., April 11th, 1898.

In accordance with Act No. 7 of the Session Laws of the Fifteenth Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Arizona, approved March 13, 1889, requiring the Board of Supervisors of each county of the Territory of Arizona, at the regular April meeting of said board, preceeding a general election, to make an order requiring a re-registration of the voters of said county; it is hereby ordered, all members voting "Aye," that a re-registration of the voters of Graham county be made in the manner and as required by the election laws of the Territory of Arizona and that order be published in the "GRAHAM GUARDIAN," a newspaper published in said Graham county, and having a general circulation therein, for not less than four months preceeding the next ensuing election.

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA } ss
COUNTY OF GRAHAM }

I, Pedro Michelena, county recorder and Ex-Officio clerk of the board of Supervisors, of the county of Graham, Territory of Arizona, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of an order made and entered upon the minutes of said Board under date of April 11th, 1898.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Board, this 13th, day of June 1898.

PEDRO MICHELENA,
County Recorder and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Graham county, Arizona Territory.

Mining location notices and real estate deeds for sale at the GUARDIAN office. tf.

Miners supplies, tools, steel, powder, etc., at John Blake & Co. tf

Blank notes and deeds for sale at the GUARDIAN office. tf.

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Bowie, A. T.

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then you're a nice war hero, aint you. Spose I'm goin' to have him eat up my corn; not much, I tell you." "That's so," says Josephus, "I'll go, but you better come too. May need some help, you know." So out Josephus went, barefooted and with nothin' but his nightgown on. Pretty quick he let a howl out of him. He'd stepped on some sand burs, and he came in and put his shoes on, and then he sallied forth again.

Now the cavalry tactics had taught Josephus to approach the enemy cautiously, and he acted accordingly; besides I think it was Josephus' nature to approach anything like danger cautiously anyway. He says "Willie's Weary Walkers" made a mistake at La Quasina and San Juan Hill in not approaching the enemy cautiously; that they didn't stick to the tactics. Of course, he says, the policy they adopted probably shortened the war, and there were more of them left to tell the tale than there would have been if they had adopted the other plan, but still it wasn't strictly military.

Josephus walked carefully and cautiously down between the rows of peach trees. The silvery sheen of the shining moon shone down through the foliage. This is a habit you may have noticed which the moon has when it is full, and just now it was full. Lord, how Josephus did envy the moon that night! Pretty quick he spied something white under a peach tree. Yes, Jerusha was right, it was a hoss. Josephus would use diplomocy and thereby save time. He would grasp it by the forelook, not time, but the hoss, and gently lead it out of the gate which stood open. He was about to grasp, when something happened. On the place where the forelock ought to be there was no forelock, but he had long ears and Josephus grasped one of those. Then the something happened; a shower of peaches fell nearly knocking poor Josephus down. Then Josephus discovered the hoss was a mule, and that he had been monkeying with a buzz saw. The mule was making a beeline for the back of the lot. Jerusha standing by the porch saw him coming and endeavored to head him off. Hastilly grabbing a stick of fire wood in one hand and a rock in the other she let fly the rock at the mule just as he went around the corner. She missed the mule, and hit Josephus square on the shin bone. Josephus he howled and he cursed and he jumped and cursed; so much for a military education. Josephus didn't used to curse. "What the —— —— boody bleeding blazes did you do that for, Jerusha?" "—— —— the white —— —— of a mule anyway," he roared. By this time Jerusha had got around him and was driving him back, but just as he got along side the well he spied Josephus, and shying to the right lunged against the well curb and over it went and down went the drum, bucket and rope into the well, and Jerusha nearly went in after them for she was hot after the mule. Well, they chased that old white mule for three quarters of an hour, back and forth, but couldn't get him to see the gate. In his wild flight for freedom, he had succeeded in knocking down three young prune trees and nearly demolishing a Chinese Umbrella tree. Once when he was passing the house, Josephus, who had been pelting him with rocks, succeeded in hitting him on the hip bone, and the rock glancing off took an angle of ninety degrees and striking a pane of glass in the window, went through it and knocked a majolica vase off a marble pedastal, smashing it and narrowly missing a forty dollar mirror. By this time Josephus was played out. The mule was fresh as ever, and Josephus sat down on the porch and said it was "—— hot, and he guessed he'd take off his night shirt." Said something about going down to the river and drowning himself if he lived till morning. Jerusha asked him if he spoed the mule had hurt the corn any? He said: "—— the corn". Just then the baby fell out of bed and cut a hole in his tongue and nearly broke his nose. Jerusha went into the house, Josephus looked up and saw the mule, and gathering up a rock, softly and slowly approached the mule. The mule was standing directly in front of a hive of bees. Josephus got within ten feet, let fly the rock and struck the mule on the nose. The mule did the most natural thing on earth, kicked, struck the bee hive square in the center, completely overturned it, and in ten seconds there were 175,000 bees making matters warm for Josephus and the white mule. The mule made a few frantic bounds and went through a four wire fence, completely demolishing about eight rods of it. Josephus clutched and clawed and stamped and cursed and groaned and finally rolled into a ditch full of water, when Jerusha came out and dragged him into the house, and patched and poulticed him up.

Jerusha reports the corn uninjured and looking fine. Josephus has fallen off twenty pounds in ten days, and anxiously inquires of everybody if they don't think there is a possibility of the Oregon being blown up and four or five hundred brave American sailors being killed.

He hankers after a military life, and Jerusha says it is strange Josephus can't see any bueaty in a corn crop.

Ladies fine dress good, consisting of white goods, silks, lawns Broderie Paris, dimity, Nun's veiling, percalis, calico, ribbons, veiling, etc., at John Blake & Co. tf

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P. E. Buttler, of pack-train No. 3, writing from Santiago, de Cuba, on July 23rd, says: "We all had diarrhœa in more or less violent form, and when we landed we had no time to see a doctor, for it was a case of rush and rush night and day to keep the troops supplied with ammunition and rations, but thanks to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy, we were able to keep at work and keep our health; in fact, I sincerely believe that at one critical time this medicine was the indirect savior of our army, for if the packers had been unable to work there would have been no way of getting supplies to the front. There were no roads that a wagon train could use. My comrade and myself had the good fortune to lay in a supply of this medicine for our pack-train before we left Tampa, and I know in four cases it absolutely saved life."

The above letter was written to the manufacturers of this medicine, the Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa. For sale by all dealers in medicine.

TERRITORIAL CONVENTION.

Date Fixed for September 16—To Be Held in Prescott.

At a meeting of the central committee of the democratic party the following apportionment was made and date of the convention set for September 16, to be held at Prescott:

Apache	5
Navajo	5
Coconino	7
Mohave	4
Yavapai	18
Yuma	4
Maricopa	28
Pinal	5
Pima	12
Graham	16
Cochise	10
Gila	6
Total	120

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We have a line of ladies' shoes that we are selling for 50 and 75c. per pair; we also have them in regular stock from $1.00 to $3.00 that will please the most fastidious. When you want bargains go to E. A. JACOBSON, Safford.

The Guardian.

For President 1900,

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN.

FRIDAY OCTOMBER 14, 1898

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Delegate to Congress.
COL. J. F. WILSON.

FOR COUNCILMAN:
GEO. A. OLNEY, Solomonville.

FOR ASSEMBLYMEN:
W. W. PACE, Thatcher.
E. M. WILLIAMS, Clifton.

FOR SHERIFF:
BEN CLARK, Clifton.

FOR TREASURER:
B. B. ADAMS, Solomonville.

FOR RECORDER:
P. MICHELENA, Solomonville.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY:
WILEY E. JONES, Solomonville.

FOR PROBATE JUDGE:
W. W. DAMRON, Thatcher.

FOR SUPERVISORS:
WM. R. WADDILL, Safford.
H. C. DAY, Duncan.

FOR SURVEYOR:
E. R. STAFFORD, Safford.

PRECINCT OFFICERS, Safford.

Justice of the Peace:
W. B. FONDA.
T. T. HUNTER.

Constable:
R. A. SMITH, Jr.

Announcement.

Independent Democratic Candidate For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself an independent Democratic candidate for sheriff of Graham county, and ask the people regardless of party affiliations to consider before voting whether or not their interests would be well served by a man who has paid a heavy tax in Graham county for years, a man of permanent residence here, whose whole interests are with you and who understands thoroughly your needs in every respect and who is willing to serve the county in the capacity of Sheriff.

JOE T. MCKINNEY.

THE more the Republicans study the Democratic ticket the sicker they become. The ticket is the strongest one ever put in the field in this county. The nominees are all tax-payers, representative and intelligent men and every one of them will be elected by a good majority.

THE *Trailer* charges the GUARDIAN and *Bulletin* with having printed the same editorials on the same date, and thinks its broken into a hidden treasurer. If the sheet that made this statement had ever been accused of telling the truth people might believe, but with its notorious record for handling the truth with so much disregard its few readers simply laugh at it as they did when it charged that Ben Clark is a non-tax payer, when investigation proved the opposite to be the case. Get into the habit of telling the truth, Bro. Bonney, and you will be believed more readily.

The republicans of Kingman wrestled long and hard to induce Rough Rider Fred Pomeroy to accept the nomination for recorder on their ticket. Fred, be it said to his honor, withstood all their blandishment and remained true to his free silver principles. This should be an example for Colonel Brodie. Brodie is said to be a man of principle, if he is he will never accept what he refused two years ago. Fred says the Colonel has been tricked by the republicans in some way and that he is sure he will not run on a gold platform when he returns and finds the real facts of his nomination.—*Our Mineral Wealth.*

Dr. Green, office in Ijams' drug store. tf.

WILLIAM A. MOODY who was placed on the Democratic ticket for Probate Judge is a representative of the young Democracy of this county and will receive a handsome majority on election day. He is thoroughly qualified, a good school man and under his able management the schools of this county will become second to none in the Territory. Mr. Moody has been almost raised in Graham county and is held in the highest esteem by all who know him.

Democratic Meetings.

Col. J. F. Wilson, democratic nominee for delegate to congress, and others will address the people of Graham county at the places named below on the following dates:

Geronimo, Tuesday, Oct. 25th at 2 p. m.; Pima, Oct. 25th, at 8 p. m.; Thatcher, Oct. 26th, at 4 p. m.; Safford, Oct. 26th, at 8 p. m.; Solomonville, Oct. 27th, at 8 p. m.; Clifton, Oct. 28th, at 8 p. m.; Mornenci, Oct. 29th, at 8 p. m

All are invited to attend these meetings and hear the champion of silver and good government speak.

TO CENTRAL COMMITTEEMEN.

It is the duty of the central committeeman in each of the precincts named above to make all arrangements for the holding of these meetings on the dates named.

JOHN J. BIRDNO,
Chairman Central Committee.

Spain Will Get Out.

MADRID, Oct. 10.—It is said here that the evacuation of Porto Rico will be completed next week and that the evacuation of Cuba will be accomplished by the end of November. The government is employing twenty-one vessels in repatriation of troops. Soldiers here received their pay from June, and on arriving in Spain they will receive two month's pay, be given clothing and be mustered out of service.

Yellow Jack.

JACKSON, Miss., Oct. 10.—The yellow fever situation in Mississippi grows worse and unless cool weather comes soon the entire state bids fair to become infected.

Official Poceedings.

—OF THE—

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

—OF—

Graham county, Arizona.

SOLOMONVILLE, Arizona } Oct. 3, 1898 }

Board met at 9 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment.

Present: D. H. Matthews and F. W. Hayes, members; P. Michelena clerk.

Absent H. C. Day, member.

Upon motion unanimously carried, F. W. Hayes was elected chairman pro tem.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the board that the assessment of A. W. Childers for taxes of the current year is excessive, to-wit: In the sum of $500, the tax collector is, on motion unanimously carried, ordered to deduct the amount of twenty dollars from the total charged against said A. W. Childers for taxes of the aforesaid year.

On motion, all members voting aye, A. W. Childers is appointed road overseer of Aravaipa road district, and the clerk of this board is instructed to notify him of the appointment.

On motion the board adjourned to meet at 9 o'clock, a. m.

F. W. HAYES,
Chairman Pro Tem.
attest: P. MICHELENA, clerk.

SOLOMONVILLE, ARIZONA } Oct. 4, 1898 }

The Board met at 9 o'clock a. m. pursuant to adjournment.

Present: F. W. Hayes, chairman pro tem; D. H. Matthews, member; P. Michelena, clerk.

Absent: H. C. Day.

The reading of the minutes of yesterday's proceedings dispensed with.

On motion, all members voting aye, it is ordered that the valuation assessment on school land leased to John and Austin Evans, under lease No. 1 be and the same is hereby modified as follows, viz: Eighteen acres proven to be waste land assessed at $90.00 assessment remitted. Improvements assessed at $66.00 assessment remitted.

The board counted the public funds on hand in the treasurer's office and found the amount to be as stated in the following quarterly statement, viz:

July 1, 1898.

To balance on hand, -	$6092 30
" Sheriff's license, act.	1422 15
" Fines, - - -	31 55
"Property sold by Ty.	173 99
" " Tax act. 1898	119 54
" Assessor's property tax act, 1898, - - -	123 80
Total, - - -	$7963 33

July 3, 1898.

By Terri'l Remittance,	$200 49
" cash expences paid,	803 70
" " contg. fund	400 16
" " salary fund	2005 00
" " road "	590 60
" " school "	4739 87
" " balance on Oct. 1, 1898. - - -	3223 40

The resignation of M. H. Merrill road overseer of District No 2, having tendered and duly accepted upon motion, unanimously carried, it is ordered that John Hill, Sr., be and he is hereby appointed road overseer of said road district, vice M. H. Merrill resigned.

On motion, all members voting aye, Mrs. Tomas Grijolva is hereby granted an allowance of five dollars a month to date from this date.

The following claims against the county were regularly audited and allowed, and on motion unanimously carried, it is ordered that the same be paid by cash warrants on the county treasurer, as funds are found to be on hand for their payment, viz:

W. P. Birchfield, salary	$ 675 00
Phil. C. Merrill, justice's fees, - - -	35 35
M. H. Merrill, road work,	45 00
John Golding, " "	20 00

The Governor's Election Proclamation having been received, upon motion, all members voting aye, it is ordered that the same be published in the Arizonian, a newspaper published in the county, and in the manner provided by law.

On motion the board adjourned to meet at 9 o'clock to-morrow.

F. W. HAYES,
Chairman Pro Tem.
Attest, P. MICHELENA, clerk.

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CONTEST NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Land Office at Tucson, Arizona, October 10, 1898.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by [illegible] Bigler, contestant, against homestead entry No. [illegible] made in Township 6 S., R. 26 E., by John Johnson, contestee, in which it is alleged that said John Johnson abandoned the land entered more than six months prior to the initiation of this contest and that he has never made actual settlement upon, nor built a house upon, said claim, nor built a house in any way. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on November 28, 1898, before the Probate Judge of Graham county, at his office in Solomonville, Arizona, and that receiver will be present at the United States Land Office in Tucson, Pima County, Arizona.

The undersigned, being satisfied that, by reason of the facts set forth in a proper affidavit, personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due publication.

JOHN H. BAUMAN, Receiver.

October 14th.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Homestead Entry No. 1821.

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON ARIZ. Sept. 27, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the Probate Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on November 5, 1898, viz:

Thomas Williams, for the lots 3, 4 and 5, Sec 3, Tp 7 S., R 25 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his actual residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Jesse Williams, John Wise and Ft. Thomas, Arizona.

EUGENE J. TRIPPEL, Register

First Publication Oct. 14th.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead Entry, No. 1633.

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON ARIZ. October 7, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the Probate Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on November 5, 1898, viz:

Thomas Williams, for the lots 3 and 4, Sec 33, Tp 6 S., R 25 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his actual residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

George R. Shirts, Hiram Combs all of Central, Graham county, Arizona.

EUGENE J. TRIPPEL, Register

First Publication September 9th.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead No. 2061.

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON, ARIZ. September 7th, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the Probate Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on October 29, 1898, viz:

Mary A. Allen, wife of Orvel W. Allen, for the lots 3 and 4, Sec 3, Tp 7 S., R 25 E.

She names the following witnesses to prove her actual residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Jesse Williams, Charles Dyer and Orvel W. Allen, all of Pima, Arizona.

EUGENE J. TRIPPEL, Register.

First Publication Sept. 30.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Homestead Entry-No. 1851

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON ARIZONA, Sept. 22, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the Probate Court at Solomonville, Ariz., on November 5, 1898, viz:

Pomeroy Salazar Coronado and only child of Maria Day, deceased, of Safford, Graham County, Arizona, for the Lots 7 and 8, Sec 5, Tp 7 S., R 25 E., and S. R. 24.

He names the following witnesses to prove his actual residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Peter Applegate, Procopio Estrado, Antonio Ruiz and Guadalupe Almendarez, all of Safford, Arizona.

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Notice of Application to Cut and Remove Timber from Public Lands.

To all whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given, that I, Charles Walch, of the village of Pima, in Graham county, in the Territory of Arizona, on the filing of my application therefor with this notice and proof of its publication and the other proofs accompanying the same, with the Hon. Cornelius N. Bliss, Secretary of the Interior Department at Washington D. C., will pray the said Secretary for authority to cut and remove the timber composed of Yellow Pine, Red Pine, Long Leaf Pine, Balsm Pine and Black Jack Pine now standing and growing on the NE 1-4 Sec 12, Tp 8 S, R 23 East of the Gila and Salt River Meridian in Graham county, Arizona, containing 160 acres of non mineral bearing land, for sale and traffic as lumber and other timber products as an article of merchandise.

Dated this the 14th day of September, 1898.

CHARLES WALCH.

First insertion Sept, 23, 1898.

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